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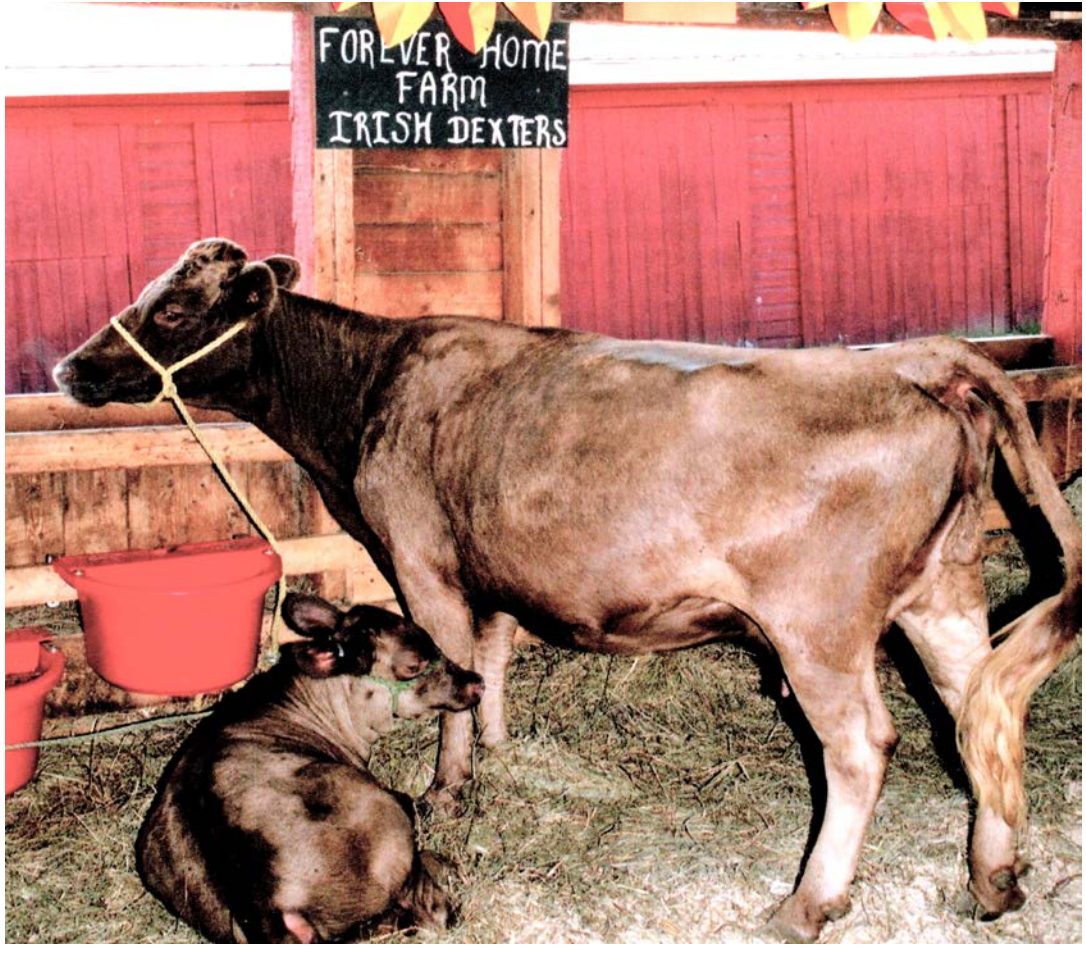
Thank you to all of our volunteers!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	31	1 New Year's Day	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 Martin Luther King Day	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	1	2	3	4	5	6

January 2021


FOREVER HOME
FARM
IRISH DEXTERS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Valentine's Day	15 President's Day	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	1	2	3	4	5	

February 2021

State of Vermont
PURE
MAPLE SYRUP
R.C.M.P

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Pi Day	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	

March 2021

FARM MU

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1	2 Good Friday	3
4 Easter Sunday	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	1

April 2021

Rock
&
Roll

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
2	3	4 Star Wars Day	5	6	7	8
9 Mother's Day	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Memorial Day	1	2	3	4	5

May 2021

ROXIES
Fight
Cancer

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1	2	3	4 **National Donut Day**	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 **Armed Forces Day**	15	16	17	18	19
20 **Father's Day**	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	1	2	3

June 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	18	29	30	1	2	3
4 Independence Day	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

July 2021

X-LARGE
JUMBO
HOOP SHOT!
HOOP SHOT!
LARGE
MEDIUM

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 Bennington Battle Day	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

August 2021

Amusements of America
TICKETS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6 Labor Day	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	1	2

September 2021

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THE VERMONT STATE FAIRGROUNDS
FRIED
DOUGH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 Columbus Day	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 Halloween	1	2	3	4	5	6

October 2021

Burgers & Dogs
Chicken Tenders
Steak & Cheese
Hand Cut Fries
Burgers & Dogs
Grilled Chicken Wrap
J.R.'s GRILL
Italian Sausage
Steak Tips
Hand Cut Fries
ITALIAN SAUSAGE
ICE COLD DRINKS
BURGERS & DOGS
BLOOMING ONIONS
CHICKEN TENDERS
ATM

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 Veteran's Day	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Thanksgiving Day	26	27
28	29	30	1	2	3	4

November 2021

CORONAS
HOLLYWOOD
SMITTY'S

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas
26	27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve	1 New Year's Day

December 2021

The past few years have been QUITE A RIDE!!!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 Martin Luther King Day	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5

January 2022

We hope that you are enjoying your Quarterlies

We appreciate your support.
Gift memberships are a great
HOLIDAY STOCKING STUFFERS!!!
$10.00 Regular
$8.00 Students per person
$8.00 Seniors (62+)
$20.00 Contributor
$50.00 Sponsor
$200.00 Lifetime per person

Additional donations are always gratefully accepted.

Rutland Historical Society MEMBERSHIP

☐ New Membership ☐ Renew my membership

☐ Regular ☐ Student ☐ Senior ☐ Contributor ☐ Sponsor ☐ Life

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Thank you.

Hello Members!!

We are all looking forward to a time when life returns to “normal”, but according to the national news reports tonight, that might not be possible for a very long while.

At the Rutland Historical Society, we are working behind the scenes as hard as possible to maintain the access and availability that the Society has always prided itself on having. Although it caused some delay with a few things, we have managed to overcome most of the obstacles that this pandemic has been hurling in front of us.

I apologize to the members who received unexpected, multiple copies of our last quarterly, *The 175th Commemoration of the Vermont State Fair*. It was the first edition with an experiment of new pandemic procedures. (Thank you, COVID!) The accidental duplicate mailing seemed to be the only evident glitch in the new process, and that issue will hopefully be corrected this time around.

We have decided to do the calendar as our 3rd quarterly and as a companion follow-up celebrating the 175th anniversary of the Vermont State Fair during the traditional fall fair season.

Like quite a bit this year, the annual meeting will be different. As much as we wanted to have in-person festivities, it just is not advisable or feasible.

Therefore,

our annual meeting will be via ZOOM

on November 21st at 5:30 p.m.

Many organizations have had to resort to this alternative, and the board has concluded that this is the safest, most available, and most accessible avenue to utilize at the present time. I realize that not everyone who would come to an in-person meeting can attend an online meeting. The positive of ZOOM is that it allows our members who are out of the area to attend. However, there is a 100-person limit.

The links for the ZOOM annual meeting are:
Access link:
https://zoom.us/j/5444983948?pwd=OUxzMjJuWGlzbEdLRzR2UFdNcmhBZz09
Meeting ID: 544 498 3948
Passcode: 615280

We have four open seats to fill at this election. Our treasurer has retired. And our secretary has resigned due to the pandemic. We have appointed Corey Kennedy to that position of secretary, which leaves his seat and two other director seats open.

With that, nominations that have been received to date are as follows:

Treasurer: William Notte
Director: Scott Kauffman
William Lucci
Ronald Hemenway

I hope to see many of you at the Annual Meeting and that you all stay safe and well.

Always,

Barbara L. Giffin, president